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Subject: Telephone Call to C.W.O. Gene Henson, Strategic Air Command

1. On 26 March 1953, a telephone call was made to Mr. Henson for several reasons and the following information is recorded for the record:

a. Concerning the Stenographic Machines, Inc, Mr. Henson was asked if their evaluation of the PAMM Morse Punching and Keyeing Device had uncovered any shortcomings of this ~~unit~~ unit. The answer was "no" and that they had ordered a quantity of 13 of these units for service tests and evaluation at a cost of \$26,000.00, with a promised delivery in 60 to 90 days after receipt of the order.

b. In response to an inquiry concerning the battery development for the Hoffman "Acorn" transceiver, Mr. Henson indicated that two prototype models existed. In comparison to the size of the URC-4 battery, this new battery is approximately one inch less in height and width, but the same in thickness. Information concerning production quantities of this battery should be available from a Mr. S. Weisman of the C&N Laboratories, WAFB, Dayton, Ohio.

c. Mr. Henson pointed out that SAC is conducting tests on the COZI system during the the week of 30 March. The arrangements for an Agency representative to attend these tests must be expedited ~~ip/bt/et/tp/~~ if it is the intention to send a representative. Henson suggested that a wire be sent to the Commanding General, SAC, Attention DOCEP, Offut AFB, Omaha, Nebraska, requesting clearances etc. 50X1
is cognizant of these COZI tests, and probably should be contacted for details.

d. Mr. Henson expressed the desire to have us ship him two modelsof our EC-2 Burial Container. This procedure has been previously approved by Mr. Stetson and it is the intention to ship these containers to

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